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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR §1.115

The Honorable Commissioner of
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Dear Sir:

This is responsive to the Patent and Trademark Office action mailed March 22, 1994, time for response to which was set to expire June 22, 1994. Applicant has concurrently filed herewith a Petition for Extension of Time to extend the period for response to July 22, 1994, along with provision for payment of the required fee.

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